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## THIS LOOKS GOOD

HOME MANUFACTURE OF WOOL.

The low prices prevailing for wool during the past season have caused a large percentage of the clip to be pooled. The uncertainty of the wool situation and the desire of farmers to realize on their product have caused the farmers in Rockingham County, New Hampshire, to arrange for the manufacture of their own wool. Such a procedure was very common throughout the East and Middle West fifty to seventy-five years ago. The farmers in the above county named made arrangements with one of the New Hampshire mills to have the wool scoured and made into blankets, which were then sold direct to the customer. By this means, the farmers secured about fifty cents per pound for the wool. Cheshire County (New Hampshire) Farm Bureau is now planning a similar enterprise.

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